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SUBJECT: STATEMENT BY US MISSION SPOKESMAN

1. THE US MISSION SPOKESMAN RELEASED THE FOLLOWING
STATEMENT TO SAIGON PRESS CORPS TODAY (OCTOBER 10): (BEGIN TEXT)

2. AT THE OCTOBER 9 MEETING OF THE FPJMT, THE RVN
DELEGATION PROPOSED TO DISCUSS, AS A FIRST ITEM ON THE AGENDA
AN EXCHANGE WITH THE PRG OF LISTS OF VIETNAMESE MILITARY
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DEAD. THE US DELLEGATION SUGGESTED THAT THE ISSUE OF THIRD

COUNTRY NATIONALS WHO ARE MISSING OR DEAD IN VIETNAM ALSO BE DISCUSSED. THESE TWO PROPOSALS WERE TOTALLY IGNORED BY BOTH THE PRG AND DRV DELEGATIONS WHO WALKED OUT OF THE MEETING AFTER THE PRG SPOKESMAN MADE A POLITICAL STATEMENT IRRELEVANT TO THE WORK OF THE FPJMT.

3. THE US DELEGATION PROTESTED THE IRRESPONSIBLE ACTIONS ON THE PART OF THE PRG AND OBSERVED THAT THE PRG DELEGATION HAD UNILATERALLY DISRUPTED THE WORK OF THE FPJMT FOR THE SECOND TIME IN TWO WEEKS. (END TEXT)
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